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CHARLEROI REPUBLICANS HAVE ORGANIZED FOR OPENING OF STATE CAMPAIGN HERE SEPTEMBER 3

CONSULTATION MEETING LAST NIGHT ATTENDED BY MANY PROMINENT LEADERS

All the Towns and Communities in the Valley Promise to Turn Out Big Crowds From Pittsburgh to Brownsville

With their characteristic enterprise and energy Charleroi citizens have begun to prepare for the big Republican rally that will be held here Saturday evening, September 3 to open the Gubernatorial campaign of Congressman John K. Tener. As the State Republican committee has honored Mr. Tener by opening the campaign in his home town, the citizens here propose to show their regard for their fellow townsmen by giving him and his colleagues on the ticket a most rousing reception.

To this end a Republican campaign club was quietly organized a short time ago in order to get at the work systematically. An executive committee composed of S. C. Todd, chairman, Chas. O. Frye, secretary, C. F. Thompson, W. W. Jimeson, J. E. Masters, R. H. Rush and W. R. Gaut was appointed, and after a preliminary survey of the situation invitations were sent out to a number of prominent Republicans throughout the county to meet with the committee last night to discuss plans and suggestions to make the opening a great success. A number of prominent Republicans from various points along the river district, including County Chairman J. Frank McClay of Washington, responded, and a most enthusiastic meeting was the result.

S. C. Todd presided over the meeting and stated that the object of the Charleroi organizaton was for the purpose of co operating with the county and State chairman, and not to assume the responsibility of the whole affair He said Charleroi citizens, regardless of party affiliations, were anxious to show their regard for their fellow townsman, John K. Tener, and it was for this reason that the local organization was effected. "We are here to receive suggestions and plans for making this opening rally a success," said Mr. Todd, "in order to express our loyalty and the loyalty of Washington county to the Republican party, as well as to honor a respected citizen."

A number of those present, beginning with County Chairman McClay, were called upon for expressions of opinions as to the sentiment in their respective localities. Chairman McClay made a few suggestions, but said he had no definite line of action to offer until he heard from others. D. T. Morrison, Henry Mesty and J. L. England of Finleyville, were called upon and reported that they could secure big delegations from their districts, together with a band of music. Chairman Todd appointed them a committee to hustle for the event. J. H. Lowers of Elco said that his town would be out in force, and W. C. Heaply of Bentleyville promised big delegation from that hustling section. He said he had heard absolutely no talk about the Keystone party in this section, and every indication points to the old time Republican vote in this district.

L. W. Sample of East Pike Run, one of the precinct chairman, who had been invited, said everything was hopeful in his district and promised to work hard to get a crowd to attend the rally from his district

A. J. White of Roscoe said that he felt sure that the entire population of his district would turn out, with the possible exception of six subscribers to the Washington Observer in the community. Supt. E. Bayard of the Donora Steel plant, E C. Morrison and R. E. Koehler of Donora, also spoke enthusiastically of the meeting and promised that Donora, which is the most loyal Republican district in the county, would give an account of itself at the rally. Col. Derrickson and Former Representative Geo. Stevens both of Monessen, said that heretofore while that town had been with Mr. Tener morally in all his political battles, the Republicans there were unable to help him any with their votes, but now that they had the opportunity they would be out in force. Mr. Stevens said that if the census gave Monessen a population of 90,000 he felt safe in promising a turnout from the steel town of at least 75,000.

Chas. Young of Carroll township, J. H. Bowers, Capt. J. K. Hein, R. H. Rush, T. P. Sloan, A. P. Stewart and others of Charleroi also expressed equally enthusiastic sentiment W. W. Jimeson, chairman of the transportation committee, stated that he had been negotiating for special trains, and had the assurance of Pennsylvania railroad officials that special trains down at least would be provided. Chairman Todd said he had commmunicated with and invited the Americus Club and the Young Men's Tariff Club of Pittsburg and Mayor Magee has virtually promised to bring the former marching club to the rally, while he hopes to secure both organizations.

Albert W. Farquhar of Roscoe corroborated the assurances of a crowd from up the river, and stated that he hoped to bring even the six Observer subscribers. Chairman Todd further stated that he had already received communications from the State chairman and secretary relative to the opening, and that he had assurances that there would be no lack of orators from among the best talent of the State. All the State candidates, with possibly Governor Stuart, and Senators Penrose and Oliver, will likely be present.

At the conclusion of the meeting County Chairman McClay said he was much impressed by the hopeful and enthusiastic sentiments and the expressions of loyalty he had heard. He stated that his work now would be comparatively easy during the campaign, with such a band of workers in the field. Chairman Todd stated that letters had been received from Congressman Tener, who is spending his vacation at Salisbury Beach on the Massachusets coast, expressing his appreciation of what his fellow townsmen were doing for him, and stating that he was much affected by the news of the efforts on foot for the opening rally. The meeting then adjourned.

A parade committee composed of J. J. Hott, Chas. O. Frye. John Majors and Capt. J. K. Hein has already been appointed, and after the expressions last night has begun outlining and organizing the order of parade. It is proposed to head the line of march with the Americus Club of Pittsburg, followd by the committee and citizens of Charleroi, with the following delegations in order: Monessen and surrounding county districts in Westmoreland county Donora,

Rev. Dr. S. C. Swallow Pours Hot Shot Into E. F. Acheson

Prohibition Leader Cites Some Homely Truths to Former Congressman and Brands Keystone Party as Cave Party.

Dr. S. C. Swallow of Harrisburg, former Prohibition candidate for the presidency, asks former Congressman E. F. Acheson of Washington, Pa., some pointed questions in a letter sent him recently in reply to an editorial i Acheson's newspaper. "Is it not a little brazen and impudent for you who benefited for so many years from what you now call the boss-riden and corrupt machine to propose that Prohibitionists withdraw their candidates nominated long before the Keystone party's were, in order to give place to a lot of disgruntled politicians whose lives have been and are given wholly to clamoring for the loaves and fishes?" he writes "what possible claim has a man on Prohibitionists after having fought them and tried to boss them through all his tortuous career?

"This leads me to ask you whether you have been a consistent Christian or have you led a sort of 'Hyde and Jekyl' life? Did you in politics play hide and seek with the saloon and the church, trying to carry the saloon vote and the church vote in the same breeches pocket?

"I note this item in a recent issue of one of your own town papers: 'Will not the ex boss tell the people about the good old days when he would send a prominent Washington attorney as his missionary down to the now despised river district to asess and collect cash from the s loonkeepers for legitimate campaign expenses.' Does this item refer to you.

"In this connection permit me to say that one [illegible] candidates of the Keystone ticket is accused, and proof offered of having paid for the drinks at a hotel in Harrisburg, a drinking place, during the Democratic convention in 1906, and yet he posed then and posses now as an abstainer and has access to the churches as a Christian. Another of your Keystone candidates a law and order prosecutor, issued his acceptance on a recent Lord's Da. after notifying the public that he would do so.

"By the way, I believe you stand for the Anti Saloon League and its pet theory of an optional morality locally applied. All through its history it has collected millions of money from the churches on the ground that it is strictly non-partisian. Now Dr. Carroll the State superintendent of the league is advising all lovers to join the Keystone party.

"John Bright's description of a certain party in England seems applicable to the Keystone party. He called it the 'Cave party,' that found its counterpart in First Samuel: 'And he escaped into the Cave Adullam, and every one that was in distress and every one that was in debt, and evsryone that was discontented gathered unto him.' The Keystone party should have been named 'The Cave Party' The Cave party cannot fool us Prohibitionists this year."

DOG WITH RABIES BITES TWO MEN

Runs Amuck at Daisytown Before it is Overtaken and Killed.

A mad dog ran amuck at Daisytown on Saturday evening and before the animal was killed it created a panic in the mining village, seriously injured two men, and bit several other dogs. It took six shots from the gun of Officer Channing to kill the dog. About 6 o'clock Saturday evening the dog came up the road, acting as a mad dog usually does. The officer started in pursuit and fired two shots into its body. It ran into the house of Steve Hokenshau, where it attacked Steve and his brother in-law. The officer then put four more shots in the brute. It ran from the house but fell dead in the yard.

Dr. Eagleson was called and he ordered the two men sent to the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg, which was done. A strict watch will be kept on the dogs that were in the path of the slain dog.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The 1910 taxes are now payable. A rebate of 5 per cent will be given during August and September. After those months face value will be collected until February 1, 1911, after which 5 per cent will be added. Office in First National Bank building.

6t5 J. W. Mathias, Collector.

Monongahela, Belle Vernon, Fayette City and surrounding districts in Fayette county, Finleyville, Union and Nottingham townships and districts along the street car line; Bentleyville, Ellsworth, Cokeburg, Marianna, Somerset and West Bethlehem townships, and points along the M. and W. railroad, horsemen from Fallowfield and East and West Pike Run townships; up-river section, East Bethlehem township, Deemston, Long Branch, Twilight, Brownsville, West Brownsville, California, Coal Centre, Elco, Roscoe, Stockdale, Allen township, Dunlevy, Speers. Active preparations will be continued, and there is every indication to show that the opening rally will be one of the biggest campaign gatherings ever held in Western Pennsylvania.

NATIONAL PIKE TO BE IMPROVED

State Department Receiving Bids for Construction Work in Fayette County.

Improvements on the National pike are in order and it will be only a short time until about 7,000 feet of new road will be constructed. The largest improvement will be made in the vicinity of Somerfield, Fayette County, where 5,500 feet will be constructed. The other work consisting of 1,076 feet will be done near Brownsville.

The first is for the construction of 5,500 feet of road extending from station 123—00 and of reconstructed section about 2 1 2 miles westwardly from Somerfield; thence west to station 178—00 on the National road.

The other is 1,076 feet of road extending from station 551, end of present acadam, to station 561—76 end of present paving in Brownsville.

Sealed bids for the work will be received at the office of the State Highway Department in the capitol building, Harrisburg until 2 o'clock of September 16. The bids will be opened and scheduled and the contracts awarded. The two jobs are to be considered separately.

UMPIRE STEWART BARS WAGNER'S BAT

At the benefit baseball game between the Elks and Eagles at the park last evening, the teammates of Manager "Honey" Wagner of the Eagles expressed their appreciation of their chief by presenting him with a bat, made especially to meet the requirement of this heavy swatter. As the bat was of the dimensions of a section of seven-inch stovepipe turned down to a handle, Col. Alfy Stewart, the umpire, ruled it out of the game. The Elks were afraid that if "Honey" used the stick it would be more effective than the celebrated corrugated bat for his namesake of the Pirates

Notice

A cow strayed on my farm on the Monongahela road. Party owning same will please call and take charge or she will be disposed of according to law. Peter McCarty. 6t2p

BIG CROWD IN ATTENDANCE AT BUSINESS MEN'S PICNIC

SHEETS WAS THERE WITH THE GOODS

In order to protect the umpires, Col. Alfy Stewart and Henry Sheets, who officiated at the Elks and Eagles game last evening, they were taken out in the cage of the police auto patrol during the parade. This game was Mr. Sheets' debut as an umpire, and he did not have to maintain his standing by force of arms as did Col Stewart. Mr. Sheets umpired the bases, and the sweep of his arm in calling a man out at the bag was so expressive that it precluded all argument

ASKS FOR FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Charleroi Merchant Believes One Could be Held with Profit Here

GOOD TALENT AVAILABLE

The presence of Cyrus I. Fox of the state agricultural Department in this community in the interests of orchard inspection aroused considerable interest in Charleroi. Such horney-handed sons of the soil as John D. Berryman and Dr. J. K. Smith took the time to visit some of the places where Mr Fox gave lectures on how to distinguish and combat the coddling moth, the San Jose scale and other orchard pests that make apples and other fruits so inferior these days. These farmers were vitally interested and received much encouragement and inspiration.

Expressing regret that more real farmers were not present at the lectures and demonstrations Mr. Berryman conceived the idea of promoting a farmers' institute for Charleroi some time during the winter season. His idea is to arrange for such an event and then provide for the most expert lecturers and demonstrators that can be procured from the Government and State agricultural experiment stations As Charleroi is easily accessible to a large farming contingent and is able to take care of as large a crowd as might assemble, the project is both practicable and feasible. It will probably be submitted to the Business Men's Association when the proper time arrives.

COAL SYNDICATE LEASING LANDS

It is stated that representatives of a big syndicate, had endeavored to secure options on coal in the neighborhood of Ten Mile at $350 an acre. They ask for 60 to 90 days' time, stating that it is their intention to make a diamond drill test of the coal in the neighborhood before making a purchase.

Mrs. M. McNaughton of Washington avenue left on Monday for Chautauqua where she expects to spend a few weeks.

Ox Roast Barbacue Proves to be a Drawing attention

GOOD PROGRAM OF SPORTS

With Ideal Weather Conditions People are Having a Good Time

With a fair day and all other conditions auspicious, Charleroi merchants and such other business people as can take a day off are enjoying the picnic and outing at Eldora Park today held by the Business Men's Association. This is an annual event that is always looked forward to with pleasure, and the gath ring this year promises to surpass all previous outings in attendance and interest.

At an early hour people began boarding the cars for the park. There were many family and neighborly picnic parties, and the well filled baskets they carried bespoke the good cheer they contained. This exodus continued all the morning, and by noon the town is as deserted as on Sunday forenoon. Many out of town people also passed through on the street cars en route for the park.

The free ox roast is proving a big attraction. Hot beef sandwiches, coffee and pickles are being served free to the crowd, and the waiters with big corps of helpers are having their hands full to meet the demands. The forenoon has been devoted to the enjoyment of the park attractions and to picnicing and family gatherings. The program of sports will be pulled off this afternoon, and the prizes awarded The dancing pavilion will be a great source of attraction this afternoon and evening, when the crowd will be greatly augmented by those who were unable to get away for the whole day.

MUST FACE CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT

West Brownsville Man Said to Have Appropriated Money of Estate.

On a charge of embezzlement James W. Worrell of West Brownsville landed in jail last evening by Constable E. E. Cummins. Worrell will be given a hearing on the charge on Saturday at 10 o'clock before justice of the Peace Henry Gantz. It appears that Worrell was trustee of the estate of the Bakewell children and was removed by court some time ago.

It is alleged that he collected rents, etc., belonging to the Bakewell children to the amount of $281 which he appropriated to his own use. It is alleged that Worrell some time ago agreed to settle the matter, but after paying the costs in the case failed to make up the deficit and yesterday he was placed under arrest by officer Cummins.

Toposcheck

Carl Toposcheck, 24 years old, died yesterday morning at the home of his mother at Eighth street and Lincoln avenue of tuberculosis after a lingering sickness. The funeral will be held at St. Jerome's Catholic church at 9 o'clock tomorrow with interment in Calvary cemetery.

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Aug. 17 In American History.

1785—Jonathan Trumbull, Revolutionary patriot, died; born 1710. Trumbull was a man of wide attainment, and Washington often consulted him in emergencies. "Let us hear what Brother Jonathan has to say," was an expression often on Washington's lips.

1786—David Crockett, soldier, hunter and pioneer, born in Tennessee; killed in the Alamo March 6, 1836.

1869—Lawrence Bacher, artist noted for his etchings, died at Lawrence Park, N. Y.; born 1858.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)

Sun sets 6:51, rises 5:09; moon sets 2:16 a. m.; 10:37 p. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus.

Up to Charleroi

The suggestion that Charleroi hold a farmers' institute this coming winter is up to the citizens of the town for consideration. While primarily a business and commercial centre for which efforts in that line have been heretofore concentrated, there is no particular reason why farming should not receive attention. There is a good farming community adjacent to the town, and this industry more fully developed would rebound to the decided benefit of Charleroi.

By putting forth the proper exertion Charleroi could promote a farmers' institute that would surpass everything that has previously been presented of that nature. In this age of specialists, experts and scientific farming, both the State and National governments stand ready to offer aid and suggestions along this line. Those who look into the matter will be surprised to learn the wealth of aid and information that is at the command of any citizen who may ask for it. Judging by the experience of other sections there are agricultural opportunites here only waiting the proper development that will add very material to the wealth and well being of the community if there were but shown and demonstrated. The cultivation of alfalfa, for example is one. All that is necessary is for an agricultural chemist to analyze the soil and find out what elements are necessary, which three crops can be produced in a season. Alfalfa is now produced in higher latitudes than Washington county, and it is one of the best cash or forge crops a farmer can produce.

These are some of the things that could be demonstrated at a farmers institute in Charleroi. Winter is the most auspicious time for holding such an institute, as the farmers then have an opportunity to attend. If the farming resources of this community can be developed by such action, then there is no question as to the benefits.

Value of Sanitation

Those who rail at the efforts of the local and State health officers to improve sanitary conditions should remember that the privilege of being filthy is exceedingly expensive pecunarily, even though there were no higher feeling in regard to the matter. Objection to the mandates of sanitary laws are for the most part due to temporary expenses that may be incurred in effecting different conditions, but the privilege of continuing in a state of filth costs infinitely more than it does to keep clean.

A single case of malignant typhoid fever in a family will cost more money than would be expended in a series of years by that family in keeping the premises clean and in a sanitary condition. The sickness and funerals in any village due to diptheria, scarlet fever, typhoid, and other contagious and infectious diseases cost more money than would sewer the place and install a filtered water system. By permitting filth accumulations on the streets and about stables for breeding grounds for flies more taxes are imposed on the community than would build and maintain a library. While sorrow and suffering ought to be moving considerations in the matter of keeping clean, the pecuniary side appeals more directly to the public conscience. It pays to be sanitary. If the public would keep clean the present banking facilities would be inadequate to take care of the savings thus effected.

Thomas Paine

The Thomas Paine Museum opened recently was appropriately placed in New Rochelle, New York, says the New York World. There New York State gave Paine 277 acres for his services to our young nation and there for a time he lived.

Pennsylvania voted Paine money and so did Congress. The men of the day did not thus reward him for anything. They knew how he had helped the cause of writing "Common Sense" and "The Crisis" pamphlets. Long after, he got into disfavor by publi ly expressing in "The Age of Reason" agnostic views such as are now and were then, common but not always uttered.

Like Franklin, Jefferson and other public men of his time, Paine had practical gifts. He invented an iron bridge which was praised on two continents. A Bohemian, careless of habits, reputation and associates, he spoke truth as he knew it, espoused justice as he saw it and effectively devoted his genius to the cause of freedom.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

When two young people imagine that both can sit in a hammock and be comfortable, it is a sure sign that both are very much in love.

From the standpoint of politicians the masses would be all right if they weren't troubled now and then with a rush of mind to the brain.

Now is the season of the year when a bunch of over worked office clerks who come down to the country for a breath of fresh air will sit on trunks, valises and the edges of the bed in a 9x6 attic room with a smoking oil lamp and play draw poker until 4 a. m.

Policemen should not be in haste to arrest a man who is hugging a closely buttoned coat these hot days. He may be trying to conceal a dirty shirt instead of stolen plunder.

The man who cultivates a face full of whiskers should know that he's maintaining an elegant playground for disease germs.

Those persons who desire to put the "interests" out of business must be actuated by motives for developing the charitable resources of the country.

The new corrugated baseball bat which cannot foul, but will always meet the ball squarely for a safe hit, will have to be restricted to pitchers and other weak hitters. If Honus Wagner and others of his class start to use this bat, the side would never be retired.

You can always tell a man from Boston, but you can't tell him much.

When a person asks you for thumb tack tell him to use his finger nail.

Mrs. J. F. Miller of Meadville is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Might of McKean avenue.

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Beans	60—100	Potatoes—	
Blackberries	250—300	Sweet or Irish	50—150
Cherries	100—225	Peaches	100—200
Sugar Beets	30— 75	Prunes	100—200
Figs	100—200	Plums	100—200
Grape Fruit	75—200	Strawberries	150—300
Grapes—		Tomatoes	50—150
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EAGLES TRIM ELKS IN BENEFIT GAME

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UMPIRE MAINTAINS ORDER

It was plainly demonstrated down at the ball park last night that a good head and a tantalizing curve is better than all the smoke in the busines. Manager Wagner, with his old base ball head and his famous "fade away", which by the way, is far different from the one used by Christy Matthewson, outpitched Manager Todd, who relied principaly on his smoke to do the work, the Eagles winning by a 7 to 6 score. Much credit is due Umpire Col. A. P. Stewart for the manner in which he handled the indicator and it is greatly to his alertness that no blood was shed It was only necessary for him to bring his gun into play on two occasions Henry Sheets umpired the bases in an equally satisfactory manner.

Th Eagles got on to Todd's speed early in the game and drove in six runs in the first two innings. After this he settled down and blanked them for three innings. While Todd was banking his opponents his teammates were doing all in their power to even up the score but couldn't do much until the fourth and fifth innings when things were tied up. With none down in the sixth Hall for the Eagles reached first on an error and Haywood landed on a straight one that won the game. A large crowd witnessed the game, which was for the benefit of the Monessen Charleroi hospital. Score:

Eagles	R	H	P	A	E
Hall, s	2	2	2	5	0
Haywood, 3	2	2	0	3	1
Naylor, 2	1	2	0	1	0
Underwood, 1	0	1	9	0	1
Bertche, m	0	0	0	0	0
Hudspith, c	0	0	1	0	0
Veno, l	0	0	5	0	0
Bentz, m-l	1	1	1	0	0
Kline, r	1	1	0	0	0
Wagner, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	9	18	9	2

Elks	R	H	P	A	E
Jenkins, 2	1	2	2	1	1
Bateman, m	0	0	0	0	0
Kelley, 3	0	0	1	2	0
Barger, l	0	0	1	0	0
Mitchell, l	1	1	0	0	2
Mathias, 1	1	1	3	0	0
McCloskey, s	1	1	1	1	1
Rickey, m-2	0	0	1	0	0
Vetter, m	0	0	0	0	0
Barnett r.	1	1	0	0	0
Ferguson, c	1	1	5	0	0
Todd, p	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	6	8	*15	5	5

*None out when winning run was scored.

Eagles	2	4	0	0	0	1	—	7
Elks	1	0	0	3	2	0	—	6

Two base hits—Hall, Mathias. Three base hit—Jenkins. Stolen bases—Jenkins, Kelley, Mathias, Barnett 2, Ferguson 3, Hall, Haywood 2, Underwood. Base on balls—off Todd 1, off Wagner 2. Struck out—By Todd 4. Double play—Naylor, Hall and Underwood. Wild pitch—Wagner 2, Todd 1. Umpire—Col. A. P. Stewart.

Kindness is Appreciated

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Monessen-Charleroi Hospital desire to thank the band and the auto owners for their kidness in lending their services in the parade and ball game between the Eagles and the Elks. The band was picked up for the occasion, but it rendered most excellent music during the game which was appreciated by the large crowd present.

Thieves Loot Postoffice

Yesterday morning thieves entered the principal store and postoffice at Hackett Station, in the northern part of this county, and took $1,000 in money and stamps from the postoffice safe.

THE SEPARATION.

Why One Victim Lost Faith In Side Whiskered Brethren.

"Uh-whilst yo' was gone," said Brother Smethers, relating the news to Brother Buckaloo, who had been on a journey, "a gen'leman 'peared on de sceene yuh wid de noration dat he was a clarryvoyant and de seventh son o' surprise—I dunnah what—and was gwine to hold a secession in de lodge hall and show signs and wonduhs for de modest sum o' two bits for folks and 10 cents for betwixt sized chil'en; po'ly pussonage, wid a striped vest and woolly side whiskers, and 'bout the shade, he was, of de opposite side of a fish."

"Wisht I'd a-been dar," enviously remarked Brother Buckaloo.

"Wisht yo' had, sah, uh-kaze I likes sympathy. "Well-uh, de side whiskered gen'leman took de money at de do', and de house was plumb packed, and den he blowed out de lights and 'nounced in a grizzly voice for everybody to set right still, uh-kaze for de fust spearmint he was uh gwine to whirl in and separate deir souls fum deir bodies."

"Mum-mum-mub Lawd, sah! Did he do it?"

"Not so's yo' could notice it. We dess sot and sot and waited and waited, and bimeby a gamblin' man dat wasn't skeered begun to snawt, and den he lit a light, and, behold, the puhfessah was gone! He'd done separated us smaht growed folks fum our two bits apiece and de innycent child'en fum deir dimes and was gone fum us. Dat's all dar was to it, 'ceppin' it clinches de sneakin' s'picion I's had for, lo, dese many days dat a nigger wid side whiskers dess natu'ally kain't be right."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Planning Ahead.

"Theater parties," said the prospective bride, "will cost about $200 annually, flowers as much more and bonbons, say, $100. Certainly we can marry on $600 a year."

"And have a snug surplus," suggested her dad, "for such incidentals as grub and clothes and house rent."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Still Possible.

"Uncle, can't I be a pirate when I grow up?"

"Sure you can, son. What do you want to pirate—books or plays?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE WAKING PROCESS.

Easy Scheme to End Your Sleep at Any Hour You Wish.

"We hear it frequently asserted that if persons will impress the thought firmly upon their minds and continue thinking about it until they have fallen asleep that they desire to awake at a certain hour in the morning they will do so without fail," said Dr. Joseph Roehm in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. "But how many people have tried this method of insuring a prompt awakening at a given hour in the morning only to find their rest throughout the night disturbed and uneasy.

"The brain will usually respond to the will and awaken one in the morning near the desired hour under any circumstances, but to prevent the unbroken, uneasy sleep the adoption of only a very simple device is necessary. The last thing before getting into bed take a watch or clock and turn the hands to the hour at which one wishes to rise and gaze at this just long enough to fix the hour firmly on the retentive memory. Then if no other absorbing thoughts intervene between that and the moment one is locked in slumber the night's rest will be easy and unbroken, and promptly at the hour in the morning, as a rule, one will find oneself released from sleep and wide awake. There is no need to repeat it over and over in the mind. All this makes the brain uneasy and results in the disturbed slumber. Simply look at the watch or clock, as I have indicated, and the influence of the mind over matter will be clearly demonstrated in the morning. Try it some night and see how smoothly this physiological process works."

Buying the First Bond.

In the lives of most people there are a few moments that are not only big with importance, but remain long in the memory. One of these moments may be the first sight of the ocean; another, when great, snow clad mountains first come into view. Still another, though perhaps not quite so romantic, is that time when the average man or woman draws his or her savings out of a bank and buys the first bond.—Moody's Magazine.

Sensitive Salmon.

"Splendid color, isn't it?" asked a fishmonger as he cut a pound or two of salmon for a customer.

"Yes," replied the latter, "looks as if it were blushing at the price you ask for it!"—London Scraps.

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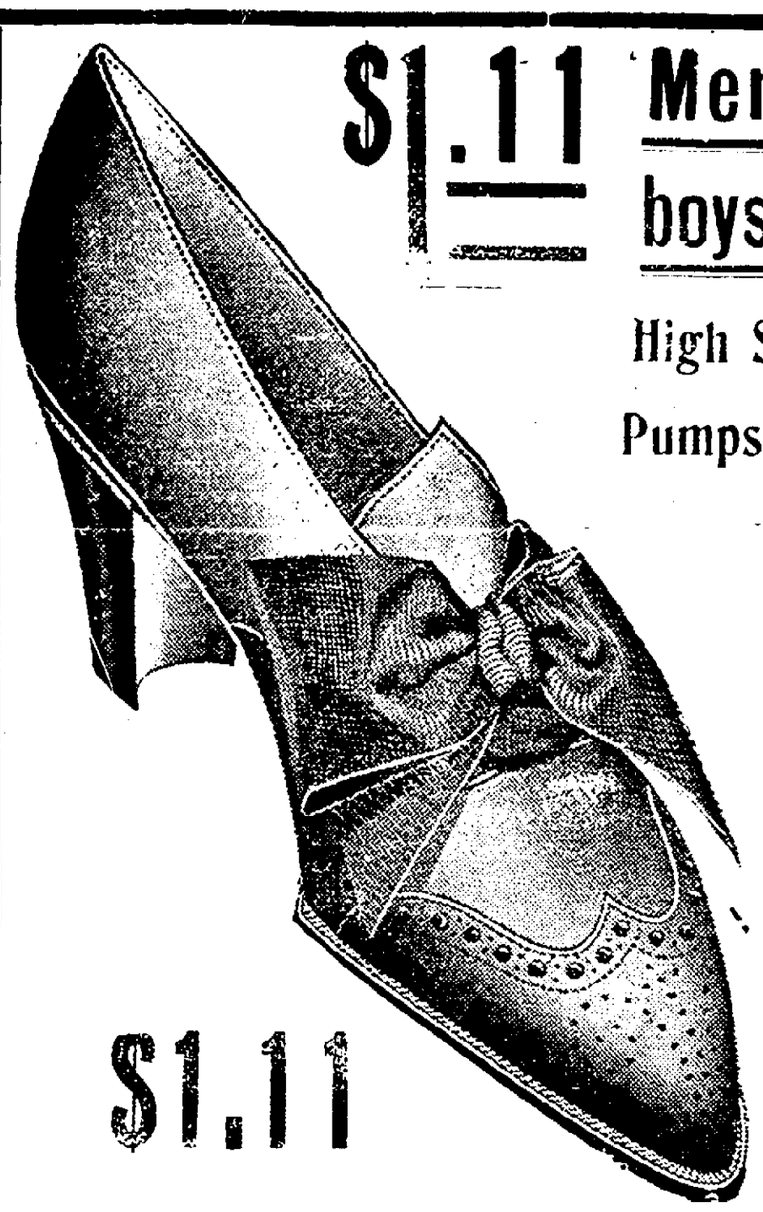

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OLD CADIZ.

Once Richer Than London, Its Chief Business ... is Salt.

Of Cadiz, De Amicis said, "It is best described by writing the word 'white' with a white pencil on blue paper."

Under the noonday sun, seen from the lofty Torre de Vigia, the medieval watchtower in the center of the city, its buildings are dazzling and almost encircled by the blue sea. A long, narrow isthmus like the stem of a pipe leads from San Fernando, on the mainland. Cadiz rests on the bowl of the pipe—yes, a pure white meerschaum without coloring, though 3,000 years old.

Americans may justly regard this now decadent place with compassion, for it grew to greatness by its commerce with the new world while Spain ruled the Americas and then fell away into decay on the loss of the western possessions.

It was great before Rome was founded. And as late as 1750 it was wealthier than London. Commerce has ever been its life. Today its chief business is the production of salt for export. This humble staple, evaporated in countless shallow lagoons in wide spreading marshes, still keeps Cadiz in touch with the new world, as most of the salt is shipped to South America.

The natives pronounce Cadiz with "z" silent and "a" very broad—"Cadi." That has always been its name, with slight variations. Its Phoenician and Tyrian founders called it Gadir, a castle of fastness. The Romans called it Gades. The Arabs had it Kadis.—Detroit News-Tribune.

SLIP FOR A BABY.

It Is In One Piece and Has Two Seams and Is Easily Made.

A charming slip for a baby that is in every sense of the word a "one piece frock" is made after an admirable pattern. The little garment is cut out from one piece of material, a round hole cut out for the neck and an opening down the back for four or five inches to allow the slip to go over the baby's head.

There are two seams, from the hem of the frock to the wrist of the sleeve, one on each side.

This pattern may be used for any material. A slip of finest white nainsook was made after this model. Around the neck was a narrow band of hand embroidery—a spray of forgetmenots and tiny leaves in fine white mercerized thread—brierstitched to the frock. The sleeves were trimmed in the same manner at the wrist, and both neck and sleeves were finished with a frill of fine narrow lace.

A panel was outlined both back and front by a scroll design of forgetmenots and French knots running from the hem in front over the shoulders to the hem in back.

A three inch hem brierstitched finished the slip, and it was fastened down the back with tiny pearl ball buttons.

A cap was made to be worn with this slip, and it was of fine white lawn embroidered all around the edge with a scroll of tiny forgetmenots, and the same blossoms were scattered all over the entire surface. The edge was scalloped and buttonholed and finished with a frill of lace gathered to the underside of the bonnet. This made a soft frame for the baby face.

A lining of thin forgetmenot blue silk and one of shell pink came with the bonnet and two sets of huge rosettes of soft satin ribbon, one of blue and one of shell pink. The rosettes were sewed to the bonnet over each ear, a single piece of ribbon went under the chin and fastened under a rosette with a tiny gold safety pin.

When the blue rosettes were worn they brought out the blue of the baby's eyes, and the pink ones heightened the color of the soft little face.

The Old, Old Story.

Old Lady (reading a letter from her son in college)—Lor' sakes alive, Josiar, if John hain't gone an done it! An' he warn't no hand fer the gals nuther!

Her Worse Half—Wut's the trouble, Samanthy?

Old Lady—Why, he says he's fallen in love with Belle—er—Belle Lettres.—Brooklyn Life.

A DEADLY CONTEST.

Tragic Climax of a Bicycle Race In Australia.

One of the most singular events in the annals of athletics occurred a few years ago at Sydney, Australia. The occasion was a great electric light bicycle race, and the attendance was not less than 10,000 people. There were fifty entries, two of whom, James Somerville and Percy Cliff, were not only professional rivals, but deadly enemies. Both were considered expert riders.

From the start of the race Somerville led, with Cliff a close second. Somerville kept the lead throughout and came into the last lap with Cliff only a few feet behind him. When about twenty-five yards from the finish Somerville put on a terrific burst of speed and drew away from his rival. Suddenly at this point his grip on the handle bar relaxed, and he fell forward. The machine, however, under the tremendous impulse it had received, raced ahead like an arrow, the rider hanging limply over the handle bar.

Four yards from the tape the machine slowed down a little. At this point the front wheel of Cliff's machine struck the hind wheel of Somerville's, sending both wheel and rider across the tape. Somerville won the race, but he was dead several seconds before he crossed the tape.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Nietzsche and the Invalid.

An invalid lady who often met Nietzsche found him the gentlest, kindest and most sympathetic of men. He "implored her with tears in his eyes not to read his books." Such was his knowledge of women that he was thunderstruck to find shortly afterward that the lady at once proceeded to read them all. He was further stupefied by the discovery that, having read them, she was utterly unmoved by the philosopher's unanswerable demonstrations that feeble persons like herself had no right to live and that women were distinguished by this, that and the other objectionable attribute. It must have been a blow to him.—London News.

THE CHAMELEON.

This Curious Animal Is Like Two Half Creatures Joined.

The chameleon is not allied closely to any other animal. It stands as a genus by itself. The nervous centers in one lateral half operate independently of those in the other. This seems outrageous, and it is, but it is true. The chameleon has two lateral centers of perception—of sensation and of motion. There exists also a third center that common one in which abides the power of concentration by means of which the two sides of the creature may be forced to work in harmony with each other. But this center of concentration does not always dominate the situation. Notwithstanding the strictly symmetrical structure of the animal's two halves, the eyes move quite independently, and they convey distinct and separate impressions to their respective centers of perception. As of the eyes, so of the other members—each reports to and is controlled by its own center.

The result is that when the faculty of concentration becomes disturbed everything is jumbled. Let the chameleon be much agitated and its movements grow erratic. They are those of two creatures fastened together, or, rather, of two half creatures joined. Each half exhibits its intention of going its separate way. The result is a pitiable confusion of movement. There is no concordance of action. A curious example of the chameleon's helplessness when unduly excited is found in the fact that it cannot swim. The shock of being plunged into water upsets the poise of its faculty for concentration. Forthwith each side strikes out wildly for itself, to its own undoing. The chameleon is the only four legged vertebrate that cannot swim.

When the creature is calm every impulse to motion is referred to the common center of concentration, and the entire organism acts in fitting accord with the commands issued by that faculty. Thus, while totally different impressions from the two eyes are transmitted from their centers to the common one, that concentrating power decides as to which scene is the more important and then directs the eye otherwise engaged also to regard it. The same principle applies in the control of all the members—so long as the animal remains unexcited. Any observer may easily verify the existence of this dual nature in a superficial way by some experiments with a sleeping chameleon. A touch on one side of the animal will wake that side up, while the other side sleeps calmly on.

VEST'S CAMPAIGN SPEECH.

Why a Small Boy Persisted In Hearing It Every Day.

"Senator Vest was making a buggy campaign in southeast Missouri some years ago," said a Missouri official. "His driver was a small boy, who was duly impressed with the importance of his distinguished passenger.

"At each town visited by Vest the boy hurried his team to a convenient livery barn and then raced for the courthouse, or wherever the 'speakin'' was to take place, and perched himself with painful regularity on the front seat. He invariably turned his eyes on the senator and took in every word of the speech as if his very life depended on it.

"Finally the lad's continued conspicuous presence among his auditors annoyed the senator, and he kindly but firmly reminded the boy that it was not necessary for him to attend every meeting.

"'I make the same speech each time. You have heard it often enough to know it by rote, so just put in your time in the future looking after the team,' he admonished his youthful driver.

"Despite the senator's objection, the boy was again in the front seat the next day and the following day. This enraged Vest, and he thundered:

"'Why do you persist in always occupying that front seat? Didn't I tell you I make the same speech every day? It's as old and stale to you as it is to me. Why insist on hearing it again and again?'

"'I want to see what you're going to do when you fergit it,' answered the boy. Vest capitulated."—St. Louis Republic.

THE ELEPHANT FLEET.

How It Is Used by the British Government In India.

Its elephant fleet is one of the strangest and most deadly departments maintained by the British government in India. It is a large fleet of coasting steamers specially built for the transport of elephants. India's population is one-fifth that of the entire globe. All these people use elephants. They use them for draft work and for tiger hunting, and in the arenas of the native states they even pit them against one another and against wild beasts. The elephant fleet transfers the animals from Dacca, the trapping and training headquarters, to the various districts whence comes the demand.

To get an elephant aboard ship is a difficult and dangerous task. The animal must wade through the surf to a stout raft, and this unknown surf, so white and tumultuous, often terrifies and maddens him. If in his fury he

No Excuse.

"Is that horse you bought a kicker?"

"A kicker?" answered Mr. Sirius Barker. "I am the fellow who paid twice his value and who is buying the feed. What has the horse got to kick about?"—Washington Star.

His Misfortune.

The Poet—Poets are born, not made. The Girl—I know. I wasn't blaming you.—Boston Transcript.

ANOTHER WOMAN CURED

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Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., invites all sick women to write her for advice. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

Tips For Home Wedding.

The summer wedding is a dainty affair, as all rose time arrangements must be. And the bride and the bridegroom and most of all the bride's family must not forget that at this wedding, as at all weddings all the year round showiness isn't—well, just isn't very nice. The wedding breakfast, for instance, may be a charming piece of gracious hospitality and happiness. But for persons of moderate means it is the worst possible taste to splurge in the usual way. An afternoon or morning wedding can be made as charming without extravagance as with it, while the little spread provided at home for the intimate few may, with taste, take on a special exquisiteness through its very reserve. Artificial light lending particular charm to gala effects, have the big table which is to hold the refreshments in the dining room so lighted. Candles fling a pretty glow, particularly if shaded with a faint pink, and it is not absolutely necessary for the trimmings of a bride's luncheon or tea table to be in white, though the general precedent is for this.

If the table is gracefully decorated, candle shades, ribbons and flowers all in one tone—any little bite and sup is enough to show good feeling. A simple buffet bite or afternoon tea frequently follows a wedding instead of the usual more elaborate breakfast.

At this there may be a big bowl of fruit punch, sandwiches of several sorts, fancy cakes, ices and bonbons. For those who may not care for the punch bouillon, coffee, tea or chocolate may be offered. Have the spread of whatever dainties you choose, but remember that an invitation to the home calls for some sort of hospitality however slight.

The bride also cuts the wedding cake herself and sees that every guest has a portion.

To Iron Pongee.

When laundering any article made of pongee, iron it without first sprinkling it and you will find it looks far newer and silkier than when dampened and ironed in the usual manner.—Woman's Home Companion.

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2,550 6 room house, all modern street improvements paid, Washington avenue.

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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mrs. Thomas Tomlinson and daughter Mary are Pittsburg visitors today.

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer is in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. D. M. Stimpson and daughter Jessie of Austin, Minn., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. H. J. Chapman on Fifth street, have gone to Uniontown and Chautauqua, here they will sojourn about a month preparatory to their homeward journey. Mrs. Chapman accompanied them as far as Pittsburg and expects to return home today.

Miss Laura Hale of Wilkinsburg is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Clive Enos of Lincoln avenue.

Miss M. Crissman of North Charleroi is visiting friends at New Concord, Ohio.

Burdell Clutter, Ray Emerick, Misses Julia Coffis and Ethel Wagner made up an automobile party today, the destination of which was the Summit House above Uniontown where they expect to have supper and return tonight.

Stoffel White of California was a business visitor in Charleroi today.

Geo. Dunlap, formerly in the meat business at the stand now run by Micheners, was in town today transacting business. Mr Dunlap has lately purchased the carriage and wagon business of J. G Jackson and Son of Washington, who conducted the same twenty seven years.

Mrs. S. T Daugherty of New Castle who has been visiting friends in town has returned home.

Samuel Endress, E. W. Hastings of Charleroi and John R. Gress of Greensburg expect to depart on Thursday for a tour of the most important eastern cities and to spend some time in Atlantic City.

T. D. Williamson expects to leave Thursday for an outing at Atlantic City.

Miss Lenoe Evans and cousin, Miss Frye of Tenessee are starting today for Atlantic City.

Mrs. S. W. Sharpneck is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Charles Van Voorhis, wife and daughter are spending a ten days vacation at Scenery Hill.

John E Gable, managing editor of the Washington Record, was in town last evening.

Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice is at Washington today attending court.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright and Patrolman Alva Osborne were in attendance at court at Washington today.

A meeting of the borough council has been called for this evening to consider the tax exonerations.

B. A. Zollner, a former real estate agent of Charleroi was in town today from Pittsburg, where he is now located.

CHARGE BOARD WITH NEGLECT

Upon complaint of a number of citizens and taxpayers the court yesterday issued a rule on J. W. Piersol, J. L. Hager, A. J. McCormick, T. T. Frye, William Greenlee and J. E. Richardson school directors of Bentleyville, requiring them to show cause if any they have, why the court should not declare their seats vacant and appoint others in their stead. The rule is returnable August 22, 1910. The complainants set forth that the directors presist in neglecting and refusing to organize and elect a teacher for the primary grade.

Notice

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Acme Brewing company will be held at its office in Bentleyville, Pa., on Tuesday, September 13, 1910, between the hours of 1 and 2 p m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year or any other business which might properly come up.

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RELIEF TO MINERS CEASES

Strike in Irwin District Said to be Nearing an End.

ALL EYES NOW ON ILLINOIS

Reports from the Irwin and Greensburg field are to the effect that the strike of coal miners there is nearing an end. Announcement was made at Greensburg last evening that relief payments to striking miners would cease. This action was taken in view of the strike in the Illinois district, which is taxing the resources of the miners' organization, and for which a special session of the National organization was called and is now in session in Indianapolis.

Late yesterday afternoon only about 200 men called at Greensburg for their relief money coming from the treasury of the Pittsburg district, and the payments were considered below that of the previous payday amount. Along with the payments the statement was given that no more relief money would be paid.

Many of the organizers have left the district, and it is understood that the superintendents of the miners have more applications for work than they have places to be filled at this time. Especially is this true in the Greensburg and Jamison fields. Last evening over fifty men applied for work at the Keystone offices.

Yesterday 200 men went to work at Yukon and the Madison fields, and more are expected today. Preference in nearly every instance has been given to old employes, many of whom have worked for the companies for ten to twenty years.

Mrs. Eugene Charles and family who are sojourning at Cambridge Springs, report a fine time and delightful weather.

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CHARLEROI REPUBLICANS HAVE ORGANIZED FOR OPENING OF STATE CAMPAIGN HERE SEPTEMBER 3

CONSULTATION MEETING LAST NIGHT ATTENDED BY MANY PROMINENT LEADERS

All the Towns and Communities in the Valley Promise to Turn Out Big Crowds From Pittsburgh to Brownsville

With their characteristic enterprise and energy Charleroi citizens have begun to prepare for the big Republican rally that will be held here Saturday evening, September 3 to open the Gubernatorial campaign of Congressman John K. Tener. As the State Republican committee has honored Mr. Tener by opening the campaign in his home town, the citizens here propose to show their regard for their fellow towsmen by giving him and his colleagues on the ticket a most rousing reception.

To this end a Republican campaign club was quietly organized a short time ago in order to get at the work systematically. An executive committee composed of S. C. Todd, chairman, Chas. O. Frye, secretery, C. F. Thompson, W. W. Jimeson, J. E. Masters, R. H. Rush and W. R. Gaut was appointed, and after a preliminary survey of the situation invitations were sent out to a number of prominent Republicans throughout the county to meet with the committee last night to discuss plans and suggestions to make the opening a great success. A number of prominent Republicans from various points along the river district, including County Chairman J. Frank McClay of Washington, responded, and a most enthusiastic meeting was the result.

S. C. Todd presided over the meeting and stated that the object of the Charleroi organizaton was for the purpose of co operating with the county and State chairman, and not to assume the responsibility of the whole affair He said Charleroi citizens, regardless of party affiliations, were anxious to show their regard for their fellow townsman, John K. Tener, and it was for this reason that the local organization was effected. "We are here to receive suggestions and plans for making this opening rally a success," said Mr. Todd, "in order to express our loyalty and the loyalty of Washington county to the Republican party, as well as to honor a respected citizen."

A number of those present, beginning with County Chairman McClay, were called upon for expressions of opinions as to the sentiment in their respective localities. Chairman McClay made a few suggestions, but said he had no definite line of action to offer until he heard from others. D. T. Morrison, Henry Mesty and J. L. England of Finleyville, were called upon and reported that they could secure big delegations from their districts together with a band of music. Chairman Todd appointed them a committee to hustle for the event. J. H. Lowers of Elco said that his town would be out in force, and W. C. Heauly of Bentleyville promised big delegation from that hustling section. He said he had heard absolutely no talk about the Keystone party in this section, and every indication points to the old time Republican vote in this district.

L. W. Sample of East Pike Run, one of the precinct chairman, who had been invited, said everything was hopeful in his district and promised to work hard to get a crowd to attend the rally from his district

A. J. White of Roscoe said that he felt sure that the entire population of his district would turn out, with the possible exception of six subscribers to the Washington Observer in the community. Supt. E. Bayard of the Donora Steel plant, E. C. Morrison and R. E. Koehler of Donora, also spoke enthusiastically of the meeting and promised that Donora, which is the most loyal Republican district in the county, would give an account of itself at the rally. Col. Derrickson and Former Representative Geo. Stevens both of Monessen, said that heretofore while that town had been with Mr. Tener morally in all his political battles, the Republicans there were unable to help him any with their votes, but now that they had the opportunity they would be out in force. Mr. Stevens said that if the census gave Monessen a population of 90,000 he felt safe in promising a turnout from the steel town of at least 75,000.

Chas. Young of Carroll township, J. H. Bowers, Capt. J. K. Hein, R. H. Rush, T. P. Sloan, A. P. Stewart and others of Charleroi also expressed equally enthusiastic sentiment W. W. Jimeson, chairman of the transportation committee, stated that he had been negotiating for special trains, and had the assurance of Pennsylvania railroad officials that special trains down at least would be provided. Chairman Todd said he had commmunicated with and invited the Americus Club and the Young Men's Tariff Club of Pittsburg and Mayor Magee has virtually promised to bring the former marching club to the rally, while he hopes to secure both organizations.

Albert W. Farquhar of Roscoe corroborated the assurances of a crowd from up the river, and stated that he hoped to bring even the six Observer subscribers. Chairman Todd further stated that he had already received communications from the State chairman and secretary relative to the opening, and that he had assurances that there would be no lack of orators from among the best talent of the State. All the State candidates, with possibly Governor Stuart, and Senators Penrose and Oliver, will likely be present.

At the conclusion of the meeting County Chairman McClay said he was much impressed by the hopeful and enthusiastic sentiments and the expressions of loyalty he had heard. He stated that his work now would be comparatively easy during the campaign, with such a band of workers in the field. Chairman Todd stated that letters had been received from Congressman Tener, who is spending his vacation at Salisbury Beach on the Massachusets coast, expressing his appreciation of what his fellow townsmen were doing for him, and stating that he was much affected by the news of the efforts on foot for the opening rally. The meeting then adjourned.

A parade committee composed of J. J. Hott, Chas. O. Frye, John Majors and Capt. J. K. Hein has already been appointed, and after the expressions last night has begun outlining and organizing the order of parade. It is proposed to head the line of march with the Americus Club of Pittsburg, followd by the committee and citizens of Charleroi, with the following delegations in order: Monessen and surrounding county districts in Westmoreland county Donora, Monongahela, Belle Vernon, Fayette City and surrounding districts in Fayette county, Finleyville, Union and Nottingham townships and districts along the street car line; Bentleyville, Ellsworth, Cokeburg, Marianna, Somerset and West Bethlehem townships, and points along the M. and W. railroad, horsemen from Fallowfield and East and West Pike Run townships; up-river section, East Bethlehem township, Deemston, Long Branch, Twilight, Brownsville, West Brownsville, California, Coal Centre, Elco, Roscoe, Stockdale, Allen township, Dunlevy, Speers. Active preparations will be continued, and there is every indication to show that the opening rally will be one of the biggest campaign gatherings ever held in Western Pennsylvania.

Rev. Dr. S. C. Swallow Pours Hot Shot Into E. F. Acheson

Prohibition Leader Cites Some Homely Truths to Former Congressman and Brands Keystone Party as Cave Party.

Dr. S. C. Swallow of Harrisburg, former Prohibition candidate for the presidency, asks former Congressman E. F. Acheson of Washington, Pa., some pointed questions in a letter sent him recently in reply to an editorial in Acheson's newspaper. "Is it not a little brazen and impudent for you who benefited for so many years from what you now call the boss-riden and corrupt machine to propose that Prohibitionists withdraw their candidates nominated long before the Keystone party's were, in order to give place to a lot of disgruntled politicians whose lives have been and are given wholly to clamoring for the loaves and fishes?" he writes "what possible claim has a man on Prohibitionists after having fought them and tried to boss them through all his tortuous career?

"This leads me to ask you whether you have been a consistent Christian or have you led a sort of 'Hyde and Jekyl' life? Did you in politics play hide and seek with the saloon and the church, trying to carry the saloon vote and the church vote in the same breeches pocket?

"I note this item in a recent issue of one of your own town papers: 'Will not the ex boss tell the people about the good old days when he would send a prominent Washington attorney as his missionary down to the now despised river district to asess and collect cash from the saloonkeepers for legitimate campaign expenses.' Does this item refer to you.

"In this connection permit me to say that one of the candidates of the Keystone ticket is accused, and proof offered of having paid for the drinks at a hotel in Harrisburg, a drinking place, during the Democratic convention in 1906, and yet he posed then and posses now as an abstainer and has access to the churches as a Christian. Another of your Keystone caddidates a law and order prosecutor, issued his acceptance on a recent Lord's Day after notifying the public that he would do so.

"By the way, I believe you stand for the Anti Saloon League and its pet theory of an optional morality locally applied. All through its history it has collected millions of money from the churches on the ground that it is strictly non-partisian. Now Dr. Carroll the State superintendent of the league is advising all lovers to join the Keystone party.

"John Bright's description of a certain party in England seems applicable to the Keystone party. He called it the 'Cave party,' that found its counterpart in First Samuel: 'And he escaped into the Cave Adullam, and every one that was in distress and every one that was in debt, and evsryone that was discontented gathered unto him.' The Keystone party should have been named 'The Cave Party.' The Cave party cannot fool us Prohibitionists this year."

DOG WITH RABIES BITES TWO MEN

Runs Amuck at Daisytown Before it is Overtaken and Killed.

A mad dog ran amuck at Daisytown on Saturday evening and before the animal was killed it created a panic in the mining village, seriously injured two men, and bit several other dogs. It took six shots from the gun of Officer Channing to kill the dog. About 6 o'clock Satorday evening the dog came up the road, acting as a mad dog usually does. The officer started in pursuit and fired two shots into its body. It ran into the house of Steve Hokenshau, where it attacked Steve and his brother in-law. The officer then put four more shots in the brute. It ran from the house but fell dead in the yard.

Dr. Eagleson was called and he ordered the two men sent to the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg, which was done. A strict watch will be kept on the dogs that were in the path of the slain dog.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The 1910 taxes are now payable. A rebate of 5 per cent will be given during August and September. After those months face value will be collected until February 1, 1911, after which 5 per cent will be added. Office in First National Bank building.

6t5 J. W. Mathias, Collector.

NATIONAL PIKE TO BE IMPROVED

State Department Receiving Bids for Construction Work in Fayette County.

Improvements on the National pike are in order and it will be only a short time until about 7,000 feet of new road will be constructed. The largest improvement will be made in the vicinity of Somerfield, Fayette County, where 5,500 feet will be constructed. The other work consisting of 1,076 feet will be done near Brownsville.

The first is for the construction of 5,500 feet of road extending from station 123—00 and of reconstructed section about 2 1-2 miles westwardly from Somerfield; thence west to station 178—00 on the National road.

The other is 1,076 feet of road extending from station 551, end of present acadam, to station 561—76 end of present paving in Brownsville.

Sealed bids for the work will be received at the office of the State Highway Department in the capitol building, Harrisburg until 2 o'clock of September 16. The bids will be opened and scheduled and the contracts awarded. The two jobs are to be considered separately.

UMPIRE STEWART BARS WAGNER'S BAT

At the benefit baseball game between the Elks and Eagles at the park last evening, the teammates of Manager "Honey" Wagner of the Eagles expressed their appreciation of their chief by presenting him with a bat, made especially to meet the requirement of this heavy swatter. As the bat was of the dimensions of a section of seven-inch stovepipe turned down to a handle, Col. Alfy Stewart, the umpire, ruled it out of the game. The Elks were afraid that if "Honey" used the stick it would be more effective than the celebrated corrugated bat for his namesake of the Pirates

Notice

A cow strayed on my farm on the Monongahela road. Party owning same will please call and take charge or she will be disposed of according to law. Peter McCarty. 6t2p

BIG CROWD IN ATTENDANCE AT BUSINESS MEN'S PICNIC

SHEETS WAS THERE WITH THE GOODS

In order to protect the umpires, Col. Alfy Stewart and Henry Sheets, who officiated at the Elks and Eagles game last evening, they were taken out in the cage of the police auto patrol during the parade. This game was Mr. Sheets' debut as an umpire, and he did not have to maintain his standing by force of arms as did Col Stewart. Mr. Sheets umpired the bases, and the sweep of his arm in calling a man out at the bag was so expressive that it precluded all argument

ASKS FOR FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Charleroi Merchant Believes One Could be Held with Profit Here

GOOD TALENT AVAILABLE

The presence of Cyrus T. Fox of the state agricultural Department in this community in the interests of orchard inspection aroused considerable interest in Charleroi. Such horney-handed sons of the soil as John D. Berryman and Dr. J. K. Smith took the time to visit some of the places where Mr Fox gave lectures on how to distinguish and combat the coddling moth, the San Jose scale and other orchard pests that make apples and other fruits so inferior these days. These farmers were vitally interested and received much encouragement and inspiration.

Expressing regret that more real farmers were not present at the lectures and demonstrations Mr. Berryman conceived the idea of promoting a farmers' institute for Charleroi some time during the winter season. His idea is to arrange for such an event and then provide for the most expert lecturers and demonstrators that can be procured from the Government and State agricultural experiment stations As Charleroi is easily accessible to a large farming contingent and is able to take care of as large a crowd as might assemble, the project is both practicable and feasible. It will probably be submitted to the Business Men's Association when the proper time arrives.

COAL SYNDICATE LEASING LANDS

It is stated that representatives of a big syndicate, had endeavored to secure options on coal in the neighborhood of Ten Mile at $350 an acre. They ask for 60 to 90 days' time, stating that it is their intention to make a diamond drill test of the coal in the neighborhood before making a purchase.

Mrs. M. McNaughton of Washington avenue left on Monday for Chautauqua where she expects to spend a few weeks.

Ox Roast Barbacue Proves to be a Drawing attention

GOOD PROGRAM OF SPORTS

With Ideal Weather Conditions People are Having a Good Time

With a fair day and all other conditions auspicious, Charleroi merchants and such other business people as can take a day off are enjoying the picnic and outing at Eldora Park today held by the Business Men's Association. This is an annual event that is always looked forward to with pleasure, and the gath ring this year promises to surpass all previous outings in attendance and interest.

At an early hour people began boarding the cars for the park. There were many family and neighborly picnic parties, and the well filled baskets they carried bespoke the good cheer they contained. This exodus continued all the morning, and by noon the town is as deserted as on Sunday forenoon. Many out of town people also passed through on the street cars en route for the park.

The free ox roast is proving a big attraction. Hot beef sandwiches, coffee and pickles are being served free to the crowd, and the waiters with big corps of helpers are having their hands full to meet the demands. The forenoon has been devoted to the enjoyment of the park attractions and to picnicing and family gatherings. The program of sports will be pulled off this afternoon, and the prizes awarded The dancing pavilion will be a great source of attraction this afternoon and evening, when the crowd will be greatly augmented by those who were unable to get away for the whole day.

MUST FACE CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT

West Brownsville Man Said to Have Appropriated Money of Estate.

On a charge of embezzlement James W. Worrell of West Brownsville landed in jail last evening by Constable E. E. Cummins. Worrell will be given a hearing on the charge on Saturday at 10 o'clock before justice of the Peace Henry Gantz. It apppears that Worrell was trustee of the estate of the Bakewell children and was removed by court some time ago.

It is alleged that he collected rents, etc., belonging to the Bakewell children to the amount of $281 which he appropriated to his own use. It is alleged that Worrell some time ago agreed to settle the matter, but after paying the costs in the case failed to make up the deficit and yesterday he was placed under arrest by officer Cummins.

Toposcheck

Carl Toposcheck, 24 years old, died yesterday morning at the home of his mother at Eighth street and Lincoln avenue of tuberculosis after a lingering sickness. The funeral will be held at St. Jerome's Catholic church at 9 o'clock tomorrow with interment in Calvary cemetery.

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Aug. 17 In American History.

1795—Jonathan Trumbull, Revolutionary patriot, died; born 1710. Trumbull was a man of wide attainment, and Washington often consulted him in emergencies. "Let us hear what Brother Jonathan has to say," was an expression often on Washington's lips.

1786—David Crockett, soldier, hunter and pioneer, born in Tennessee; killed in the Alamo March 6, 1836.

1903—Lawrence Bacher, artist noted for his etchings, died at Lawrence Park, N. Y.; born 1858.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)

Sun sets 6:51, rises 5:09; moon sets 2:26 a. m.; 10:37 p. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus.

Up to Charleroi

The suggestion that Charleroi hold a farmers' institute this coming winter is up to the citizens of the town for consideration. While primarily a business and commercial centre for which efforts in that line have been heretofore concentrated, there is no particular reason why farming should not receive attention. There is a good farming community adjacent to the town, and this industry more fully developed would rebound to the decided benefit of Charleroi.

By putting forth the proper exertion Charleroi could promote a farmers' institute that would surpass everything that has previously been presented of that nature. In this age of specialists, experts and scientific farming, both the State and National governments stand ready to offer aid and suggestions along this line. Those who look into the matter will be surprised to learn the wealth of aid and information that is at the command of any citizen who may ask for it. Judging by the experience of other sections there are agricultural opportunites here only waiting the proper development that will add very material to the wealth and well being of the community if there were but shown and demonstrated. The cultivation of alfalfa, for exampie is one. All that is necessary is for an agricultural chemist to analyze the soil and find out what elements are necessary, which three crops can be produced in a season. Alfalfa is now produced in higher latitudes than Washington county, and it is one of the best cash or forge crops a farmer can produce.

These are some of the things that could be demonstrated at a farmers institute in Charleroi. Winter is the most auspicious time for holding such an institute, as the farmers then have an opportunity to attend. If the farming resources of this community can be developed by such action, then there is no question as to the benefits.

Value of Sanitation

Those who rail at the efforts of the local and State health officers to improve sanitary conditions should remember that the privilege of being filthy is exceedingly expensive pecuniarily, even though there were no higher feeling in regard to the matter. Objection to the mandates of sanitary laws are for the most part due to temporary expenses that may be incurred in effecting different conditions, but the privilege of continuing in a state of filth costs infinitely more than it does to keep clean.

A single case of malignant typhoid fever in a family will cost more money than would be expended in a series of years by that family in keeping the premises clean and in a sanitary condition. The sickness and funerals in any village due to diptheria, scarlet fever, typhoid, and other contagious and infectious diseases cost more money than would sewer the place and install a filtered water system. By permitting filth accumulations on the streets and about stables for breeding grounds for flies more taxes are imposed on the community than would build and maintain a library. While sorrow and suffering ought to be moving considerations in the matter of keeping clean, the pecuniary side appeals more directly to the public conscience. It pays to be sanitary. If the public would keep clean the present banking facilities would be inadequate to take care of the savings thus effected.

Thomas Paine

The Thomas Paine Museum opened recently was appropriately placed in New Rochelle, New York, says the New York World. There New York State gave Paine 277 acres for his services to our young nation and there for a time he lived.

Pennsylvania voted Paine money and so did Congress. The men of the day did not thus reward him for anything. They knew how he had helped the cause of writing "Common Sense" and "The Crisis" pamphlets. Long after, he got into disfavor by publi ly expressing in "The Age of Reason" agnostic views such as are now and were then, common but not always uttered.

Like Franklin, Jefferson and other public men of his time, Paine had practical gifts. He invented an iron bridge which was praised on two continents. A Bohemian, careless of habits, reputation and associates, he spoke truth as he knew it, espoused justice as he saw it and effectively devoted his genius to the cause of freedom.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

When two young people imagine that both can sit in a hammock and be comfortable, it is a sure sign that both are very much in love.

From the standpoint of politicians the masses would be all right if they weren't troubled now and then with a rush of mind to the brain.

Now is the season of the year when a bunch of over worked office clerks who come down to the country for a breath of fresh air will sit on trunks, valises and the edges of the bed in a 9x6 attic room with a smoking oil lamp and play draw poker until 4 a. m.

Policemen should not be in haste to arrest a man who is bugging a closely buttoned coat these hot days. He may be trying to conceal a dirty shirt instead of stolen plunder.

The man who cultivates a face full of whiskers should know that he's maintaining an elegant playground for disease germs.

Those persons who desire to put the "interests" out of business must be actuated by motives for developing the charitable resources of the country.

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Beans	60—100	Potatoes—	
Blackberries	250—500	Sweet or Irish	50—150
Cherries	100—225	Peaches	100—200
Sugar Beets	50— 75	Prunes	100—200
Figs	100—200	Plums	100—200
Grape Fruit	75—200	Strawberries	150—300
Grapes—		Tomatoes	50—150
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EAGLES TRIM ELKS IN BENEFIT GAME

"Honey" Wagner's Fadeway Too Much for Sam Todd's Smoke.

UMPIRE MAINTAINS ORDER

It was plainly demonstrated down at the ball park last night that a good head and a tantalizing curve is better than all the smoke in the busines. Manager Wagner, with his old base ball head and his famous "fade away", which by the way, is far different from the one used by Christy Matthewson, outpitched Manager Todd, who relied principaly on his smoke to do the work, the Eagles winning by a 7 to 6 score. Much credit is due Umpire Col. A. P. Stewart for the manner in which he handled the indicator and it is greatly to his alertness that no blood was shed It was only necessary for him to bring his gun into play on two occasions Henry Sheets umpired the bases in an equally satisfactory manner.

Th Eeagles got on to Todd's speed early in the game and drove in six runs in the first two innings. After this he settled down and blanked them for three innings. While Todd was banking his opponents his teammates were doing all in their power to even up the score but couldn't do much until the fourth and fifth innings when things were tied up. With none down in the sixth Hall for the Eagles reached first on an error and Haywood landed on a straight one that won the game. A large crowd witnessed the game, which was for the benefit of the Monessen Charleroi hospital. Score:

Eagles	R	H	P	A	E
Hall, s	2	2	2	5	0
Haywood, 3	2	2	0	3	1
Naylor, 2	1	2	0	1	0
Underwood, l	0	1	9	0	1
Bertche, m	0	0	0	0	0
Hudspith, c	0	0	1	0	0
Veno, l	0	0	5	0	0
Bentz, m-l	1	1	1	0	0
Kline, r	1	1	0	0	0
Wagner, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	9	18	9	2

Elks	R	H	P	A	E
Jenkins, 2	1	2	2	1	1
Bateman, m	0	0	0	0	0
Kelley, 3	0	0	1	2	0
Barger, l	0	0	1	0	0
Mitchell, i	1	1	0	0	2
Mathias, 1	1	1	3	0	0
McCloskey, s	1	1	1	1	1
Rickey, m-2	0	0	1	0	0
Vetter, m	0	0	0	0	0
Barnett, r	1	1	0	0	0
Ferguson, c	1	1	5	0	0
Todd, p	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	6	8	*15	5	5

*None out when winning run was scored.

Eagles .....2 4 0 0 0 1—7
Elks-.....1 0 0 3 2 0—6

Two base hits—Hall, Mathias. Three base hit—Jenkins. Stolen bases—Jenkins, Kelley, Mathias, Barnett 2, Ferguson 3, Hall, Haywood 2, Underwood. Base on balls—off Todd 1, off Wagner 2. Struck out—By Todd 4. Double play—Naylor, Hall and Underwood. Wild pitch—Wagner 2. Todd 1. Umpire—Col. A. P. Stewart.

Kindness is Appreciated

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Monessen-Charleroi Hospital desire to thank the band and he auto owners for their kidness in lending their services in the parade and ball game between the Eagles and the Elks. The band was picked up for the occasion, but it rendered most excellent music during the game which was appreciated by the large crowd present.

Thieves Loot Postoffice

Yesterday morning t ieves entered the principal store and postoffice at Hackett Station, in the northern part of this county, and took $1,000 in money and stamps from the postoffice safe.

THE SEPARATION.

Why One Victim Lost Faith In Side Whiskered Brethren.

"Uh-whilst yo' was gone," said Brother Smethers, relating the news to Brother Buckaloo, who had been on a journey, "a gen'leman 'peared on de scene yuh wid de moration dat he was a clairvoyant and de seventh son o' somp'n—I dunnah what—and was gwine to hold a secession in de lodge hall and show signs and wonduhs for de modest sum o' two bits for folks and 10 cents for betwixt sized chil'dren; po'ly pussonage, wid a striped vest and woolly side whiskers, and 'bout the shade, he was, of de opposite side of a fish."

"Wisht I'd a-been dar," enviously remarked Brother Buckaloo.

"Wisht yo' had, sah, uh-kaze I likes sympathy. "Well-uh, de side whiskered gen'leman took de money at de do', and de house was plumb packed, and den he blowed out de lights and 'nounced in a grizzly voice for everybody to set right still, uh-kaze for de fust spearmint he was uh gwine to whirl in and separate deir souls fum deir bodies."

"Mum-mum-mub Lawd, sah! Did he do it?"

"Not so's yo' could notice it. We dess sot and sot and waited and waited, and bimeby a gamblin' man dat wasn't skeered begun to snawt, and den he lit a light, and, behold, the puh-fessah was gone! He'd done separated us smaht growed folks fum our two bits apiece and de innycent chil'en fum deir dimes and was gone fum us. Dat's all dar was to it. 'ceppin' it clinches de sneakin' s'picion I's had for, lo, dese many days dat a nigger wid side whiskers dess natu'ally kain't be right."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Planning Ahead.

"Theater parties," said the prospective bride, "will cost about $200 annually, flowers as much more and bonbons, say, $100. Certainly we can marry on $600 a year."

"And have a snug surplus," suggested her dad, "for such incidentals as grub and clothes and house rent."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Still Possible.

"Uncle, can't I be a pirate when I grow up?"

"Sure you can, son. What do you want to pirate—books or plays?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE WAKING PROCESS.

Easy Scheme to End Your Sleep at Any Hour You Wish.

"We hear it frequently asserted that if persons will impress the thought firmly upon their minds and continue thinking about it until they have fallen asleep that they desire to awake at a certain hour in the morning they will do so without fail," said Dr. Joseph Boehm in the St. Louis Republic. "But how many people have tried this method of insuring a prompt awakening at a given hour in the morning only to find their rest throughout the night disturbed and uneasy.

"The brain will usually respond to the will and awaken one in the morning near the desired hour under any circumstances, but to prevent the unbroken, uneasy sleep the adoption of only a very simple device is necessary. The last thing before getting into bed take a watch or clock and turn the hands to the hour at which one wishes to rise and gaze at this just long enough to fix the hour firmly on the retentive memory. Then if no other absorbing thoughts intervene between that and the moment one is locked in slumber the night's rest will be easy and unbroken, and promptly at the hour in the morning, as a rule, one will find oneself released from sleep and wide awake. There is no need to repeat it over and over in the mind. All this makes the brain uneasy and results in the disturbed slumber. Simply look at the watch or clock, as I have indicated, and the influence of the mind over matter will be clearly demonstrated in the morning. Try it some night and prove how smoothly this physical machine works."

Buying the First Bond.

In the lives of most people there are a few moments that are not only big with importance, but remain long in the memory. One of these moments may be the first sight of the ocean; another, when great, snow clad mountains first come into view. Still another, though perhaps not quite so romantic, is that time when the average man or woman draws his or her savings out of a bank and buys the first bond.—Moody's Magazine.

Sensitive Salmon.

"Splendid color, isn't it?" asked a fishmonger as he cut a pound or two of salmon for a customer.

"Yes," replied the latter, "looks as if it were blushing at the price you ask for it."—London Scraps.

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High Shoes, Low Shoes, Pumps, Ties and Slippers

A sale that is really bordering on the phenomenal---the whole store is astir with the enthusiasm that is keeping August a busy month. It is making hundreds of new friendships and cementing old friendships still more closely. The sound merits of the offerings are as much their sterling character as in the very low prices. We are offering only what is worthy of the store and its customers.

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A score of the best known shoe manufacturers are finding an outlet for their surplus stocks through this $1.11 sale. You'll see on the soles of these shoes the names of nationally known makers and the $3 and $4 price at which these shoes were made to sell.

Choose from patent colt gunmetal kid, brown kid, tan calf, suede gravenette velvet, enamel russet calf and colored kid. Every kind of sole from the lightest hand turned to the sturdy extension effects for street.

Misses' and Children's Shoes and Oxfords, we have in all leathers and all sizes. Time is here for you to save money. Our low prices make it easy for mothers to do so.

Remember the varieties are extensive, quantities ample, qualities excelling, and the price--1.11--speaks for itself. The closing bell finds the crowds still coming, pressing eagerly in to get the big values.

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OLD CADIZ.

Once Richer Than London, Its Chief Business Now Is Salt

Of Cadiz Ibn Batuta said: "It is best described by writing the word white with white paint on blue paper."

Under the Arabian sun seen from the lofty Tower of Gold on the medieval watchtower in the center of the city its buildings seem dazzling and almost ethereal. To the back of it a long mirror runs like the silver of a pipe line from San Fernando on the mainland. Cadiz rests on the bowl of the lines—a pure white opal set in a waiboort coloring through 3,000 years old.

America may justly regard this now decrepit port with curious interest in connection with the New World. Columbus sailed the Americas—and then fell away into decay on the loss of the western possessions.

It was great before Rome was founded. And as late as 1770 it was wealthier than London. Commerce has ever been its life. Today its chief business is the production of salt for export. This humble staple, evaporated in countless shallow lagoons in wide spreading marshes, still keeps Cadiz in touch with the new world, as most of the salt is shipped to South America.

The natives pronounce Cadiz with "z" silent and "a" very broad—"ca-di." That has always been its name with slight variations. Its Phoenician and Tyrian founders called it Gadir, a castle of fastness. The Romans called it Gades. The Arabs had it Kadis.—Detroit News-Tribune.

SLIP FOR A BABY.

It Is in One Piece and Has Two Seams and Is Easily Made.

A charming slip for a baby that is in every sense of the word a "one piece frock" is made after an admirable pattern. The little garment is cut out from one piece of material, a round hole cut out for the neck and an opening down the back for four or five inches to allow the slip to go over the baby's head.

There are two seams from the hem of the frock to the wrist of the sleeve one on each side.

This pattern may be used for any material. A slip of finest white nainsook was made after this model. Around the neck was a narrow band of hand embroidery—a spray of forgetmenots and tiny leaves in fine white mercerized thread—briersticked to the frock. The sleeves were trimmed in the same manner at the wrist and both neck and sleeves were finished with a roll of the narrow lace.

A panel was outlined both back and front by a scroll design of forgetmenots and French knots running from the hem in front over the shoulders to the hem in back.

A three inch hem briersticked finished the slip and it was fastened down the back with two pearl buttons.

A cap was made to be worn with this slip, and it was of fine white lawn, embroidered all around the edge with a scroll of tiny forgetmenots and the same blossoms were scattered all over the entire surface. The edge was scalloped and buttonholed and finished with a frill of lace gathered to the underside of the bonnet. This made a soft frame for the baby face.

A lining of thin forgetmenot blue silk and one of shell pink came with the bonnet and two sets of huge rosettes of satin ribbon, one of blue and one of shell pink. The rosettes were sewed to the bonnet over each ear and a single piece of ribbon went under the chin and fastened under a rosette with a tiny gold safety pin.

When the blue rosettes were worn they brought out the blue of the baby's eyes and the pink ones heightened the color of the soft little face.

The Old, Old Story.

Old Lady (reading a letter from her son in college)—Lor' sakes alive, Josiar, if John hain't gone an done it! An' he warn't no hand fer the gals nuther!

Her Worse Half—Wut's the trouble, Samanthy?

Old Lady—Why, he says he's fallen in love with Belle—er—Belle Lettres.—Brooklyn Life.

A DEADLY CONTEST.

Tragic Climax of a Bicycle Race In Australia

One of the most singular events in the annals of athletics occurred a few years ago at Sydney, Australia. The occasion was a great electric light bicycle race, and the attendance was not less than 10,000 people. There were four entries, two of whom James Somerville and Percy Cliff were not only professional rivals, but deadly enemies. Both were considered expert riders.

From the start of the race Somerville led, with Cliff a close second. Somerville kept the lead throughout and came into the last lap with Cliff only a few feet behind him. When about twenty-five yards from the finish Somerville put on a terrific burst of speed and drew away from his rival. Suddenly at this point his grip on the handle bar relaxed and he fell forward. The machine however under the tremendous impulse it had received, raced ahead like an arrow, the rider hanging limply over the handle bar.

Four yards from the tape the machine slowed down a little. At this point the front wheel of Cliff's machine struck the hind wheel of Somerville's, sending both wheel and rider across the tape. Somerville won the race but he was dead several seconds before he crossed the tape.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Nietzsche and the Invalid.

An invalid lady who often met Nietzsche found him the gentlest, kindest and most sympathetic of men. He "implored her with tears in his eyes not to read his books." Such was his knowledge of women that he was thunderstruck to find shortly afterward that the lady at once proceeded to read them all. He was further stupefied by the discovery that, having read them, she was utterly unmoved by the philosopher's unanswerable demonstrations that feeble persons like herself had no right to live and that women were distinguished by this, that and the other objectionable attribute. It must have been a blow to him.—London News.

THE CHAMELEON.

This Curious Animal Is Like Two Half Creatures Joined.

The chameleon is not allied closely to any other animal. It stands as a genus by itself. The nervous centers in one lateral half operate independently of those in the other. This seems outrageous and it is, but it is true. The chameleon has two lateral centers of perception—of sensation and of motion. There exists also a third center—that common one in which abides the power of concentration by means of which the two sides of the creature may be forced to work in harmony with each other. But the center of concentration does not always dominate the situation. Notwithstanding the strictly symmetrical structure of the animal's two halves the eyes move quite independently and their convex distinct and separate impressions to their respective centers of perception. As of the eyes so of the other members, each reports to and is controlled by its own center.

The result is that when the fealty of concentration becomes disturbed everything is jumbled. Let the chameleon be much agitated and its movements are those of two creatures fastened together or rather, of two half creatures joined. Each half exhibits an intention of following its separate way. The result is a pitiable confusion of movement. There is no concordance of action. A curious example of the chameleon's helplessness when unduly excited is found in the fact that it cannot swim. The shock of being plunged into water upsets the poise of its faculty for concentration. Forthwith each side sets out wildly for itself to its own undoing. The chameleon is the only four legged vertebrate that cannot swim.

When the creature is calm every impulse to motion is referred to the common center of concentration and the entire organism acts in strict accord with the commands issued by that faculty. Thus, while totally different impressions from the two eyes are transmitted from their centers to the common one, that concentrating power decides as to which scene is the more important and then directs the eye otherwise engaged also to regard it. The same principle applies in the control of all the members—so long as the animal remains undecided. Any observer may easily verify the existence of this dual nature in a superficial way by some experiments with a sleeping chameleon. A touch on one side of the animal will wake that side up, while the other side sleeps calmly on.

VEST'S CAMPAIGN SPEECH.

Why a Small Boy Persisted In Hearing It Every Day.

"Senator Vest was making a buggy campaign in southeast Missouri some years ago," said a Missouri official. "His driver was a small boy who was duly impressed with the importance of his distinguished passenger.

"At each town visited by Vest the boy hurried his team to a convenient livery barn and then raced for the courthouse or wherever the speaking was to take place and posted himself with painful regularity on the front seat. He mentally turned his eyes on the senator and took in every word of the speech as if his very life depended on it.

Finally the lad's continued conspicuous presence among his audiences annoyed the senator and he kindly but firmly reminded the boy that it was unnecessary for him to attend every meeting.

"I make the same speech each time. You have heard it often enough to know it by rote, so just put in your time in the future looking after the team," he admonished his youthful driver.

Despite the senator's objection the boy was again in the front seat the next day and the following day. This enraged Vest and he thundered:

"Why don't you persist in always occupying that front seat? Didn't I tell you I make the same speech every day? It's as old and stale to you as it is to me. Why insist on hearing it again and again?"

"'I want to see what you're going to do when you forgit it,' answered the boy. Vest capitulated.'—St. Louis Republic.

THE ELEPHANT FLEET.

How It Is Used by the British Government In India

Its elephant fleet is one of the strangest and most deadly departments maintained by the British government in India. It is a large fleet of coasting steamers specially built for the transport of elephants. India's population is one fifth that of the entire globe. All these people use elephants. They use them for draft work and for tiger hunting, and in the arenas of the native states they even put them against one another and against wild beasts. The elephant fleet transfers the animals from Dacca, the trapping and training headquarters to the various districts whence comes the demand.

To get an elephant aboard ship is difficult and dangerous task. The animal must wade through the surf to a stout raft and this unknown surf, so white and tumultuous, often terrifies and maddens him. If in his fury he

No Excuse.

"Is that horse you bought a kicker?"

"A kicker?" answered Mr. Sirius Barker. "I am the fellow who paid twice his value and who is buying the feed. What has the horse got to kick about?"—Washington Star.

His Misfortune.

The Poet—Poets are born, not made.

The Girl—I know. I wasn't blaming you.—Boston Transcript.

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Tips for Home Dressing.

The summer wedding [illegible] fan, as all [illegible] be. And the bride and bridegroom and most of all the brides mother must not forget that at this wedding as at all weddings all the year round showiness is to [illegible] nice. The wedding breakfast for instance may be a charming piece of gracious hospitality and happiness. But for persons of moderate means it is the worst possible taste to splurge in the usual way. An afternoon or morning wedding can be made as charming without extravagance as with it while the little spread provided at home for the intimate few may, with taste, take on a special exquisite ness through its very reserve. Artificial light lending particular charm to gala effects have the big table which is to hold the refreshments in the dining room so lighted. Candles fling a pretty glow, particularly if shaded with a faint pink and it is not absolutely necessary for the trimmings of a brides luncheon or tea table to be in white though the general premise is for this.

If the table is gracefully decorated candle shades, ribbons and flowers all in one tone—tiny little bite and sup enough to show good [illegible] ple buffet bite or afternoon tea frequently follows a wedding instead of the usual more elaborate breakfast.

At this there may be a light [illegible] fruit punch sandwiches of several sorts, fancy cakes, ices and bonbons. For those who may not care for [illegible] punch bouillon coffee tea or chocolate may be offered. Have the special of whatever dainties you choose but remember that an invitation to the home calls for some sort of hospitality however slight.

The bride also cuts the wedding cake herself and sees that every guest has a portion.

To Iron Pongee.

When ironing any article made of pongee iron it without first sprinkling it and you will find it looks far newer and silkier than when dampened and more [illegible] in the usual manner.—Woman's Home Companion.

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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mrs. Thomas Tomlinson and daughter Mary are Pittsburg visitors today.

Mrs. E. F. Krahmer is in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. D. M. Simpson and daughter Jessie of Austin, Minn., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. H. J. Hopman on Fifth street, have gone to Connellsville and Chautauqua, here they will sojourn about a month preparatory to their homeward journey. Mrs. Hopman accompanied them as far as Pittsburg and expects to return home today.

Miss Laura Hale of Wilkinsburg is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Clive Enos of Lincoln avenue.

Miss M. Crissman of North Charleroi is visiting friends at New Concord, Ohio.

Burdell Clutter, Ray Emerick, Misses Julia [illegible] and Pearl Wagner made up an automobile party today, the destination of which was the Summit House above Uniontown where they expect to have supper and return tonight.

Stoffel White of California was a business visitor in Charleroi today.

Geo. Dunlap, formerly in the meat business at the stand now run by Micheners, was in town today transacting business. Mr Dunlap has lately purchased the carriage and wagon business of J. G Jackson and Son of Washington, who conducted the same twenty seven years.

Mrs. S. T Daugherty of New Castle who has been visiting friends in town has returned home.

Samuel Endress, E. W. Hastings of Charleroi and John R. Gress of Greensburg expect to depart on Thursday for a tour of the most important eastern cities and to spend some time in Atlantic City.

T. D. Williamson expects to leave Thursday for an outing at Atlantic City.

Miss Lenoe Evans and cousin, Miss Frye of Tenessee are starting today for Atlantic City.

Mrs. S. W. Sharpneck is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Charles Van Voorhis, wife and daughter are spending a ten days vacation at Scenery Hill.

John E Gable, managing editor of the Washington Record, was in town last evening.

Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice is at Washington today attending court.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright and Patrolman Alva Osborne were in attendance at court at Washington today.

A meeting of the borough council has been called for this evening to consider the tax exonerations.

B. A. Zollner, a former real estate agent of Charleroi was in town today from Pittsburg, where he is now located.

CHARGE BOARD WITH NEGLECT

Upon complaint of a number of citizens and taxpayers the court yesterday issued a rule on J. W. Piersol, J. L. Hager, A. J. McCormick, T. T. Frye, William Greenlee and J. E. Richardson school directors of Bentleyville, requiring them to show cause if any they have, why the court should not declare their seats vacant and appoint others in their stead. The rule is returnable August 22, 1910. The complainants set forth that the directors presist in neglecting and refusing to organize and elect a teacher for the primary grade.

Notice

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Acme Brewing company will be held at its office in Bentleyville, Pa., on Tuesday, September 13, 1910, between the hours of 1 and 2 p m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year or any other business which might properly come up.

4tf J. P. Kosters, Sec'y.

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RELIEF TO MINERS CEASES

Strike in Irwin District Said to be Nearing an End.

ALL EYES NOW ON ILLINOIS

Reports from the Irwin and Greensburg field are to the effect that the strike of coal miners there is nearing an end. Announcement was made at Greensburg last evening that relief payments to striking miners would cease. This action was taken in view of the strike in the Illinois district, which is taxing the resources of the miners' organization, and for which a special session of the National organization was called and is now in session in Indianapolis.

Late yesterday afternoon only about 200 men called at Greensburg for their relief money coming from the treasury of the Pittsburg district, and the payments were considered below that of the previous payday amount. Along with the payments the statement was given that no more relief money would be paid.

Many of the organizers have left the district, and it is understood that the superintendents of the miners have more applications for work than they have places to be filled at this time. Especially is this true in the Greensburg and Jamison fields. Last evening over fifty men appplied for work at the Keystone offices.

Yesterday 200 men went to work at Yukon and the Madison fields, and more are expected today. Preference in nearly every instance has been given to old employes, many of whom have worked for the companies for ten to twenty years.

Mrs. Eugene Charles and family who are sojourning at Cambridge Springs, report a fine time and delightful weather.

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